STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Student v. Stratford Board of Education

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Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUE:

Whether the Board shall provide a male paraprofessional aide to assist the Student.

SUMMARY:

This matter was assigned on August 23, and a prehearing conference was held on August 25. The hearing convened on September 20. At the hearing on September 7, the parties reported on the record that they had tentatively settled the matter. The hearing was continued to October 13. At the October 13 hearing, the Board attorney reported that the Board representative who was needed to finalize the settlement was not present due to a medical issue. The hearing was continued to October 20. On October 19, the Parent's attorney submitted a notice that the settlement agreement was finalized. The October 20 hearing was cancelled.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

The matter is **DISMISSED**, with prejudice.